

enXco Development Corporation

Wind Energy Development Meeting

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About enXco

- Developer, Owner and Operator of utility scale wind energy projects <u>www.enXco.com</u>
- 20 years of experience in the wind industry
- Gradually including other renewable generating technologies in development plans
- Midwest Region headquarters in Minneapolis, MN
- 400 MW of new wind energy projects currently under construction in the Upper Midwest



Development History

Began work in South Dakota in 1998

- Work focused in three area
 - Site Identification and Assessment
 - Advocacy for creation of a regional market
 - Transmission assessment and planning
- Three sites identified in Eastern South Dakota



Current Activities

- Passage of RPS in MN and WI finally creating a Regional Market
- Focus is now on site development at existing locations and on transmission work

More visible in the communities than in previous years



Future Activities

- Transmission planning
 - More lines will be needed to fully realize South Dakota's potential
- Advocacy for a National Market
 - Support for a National RPS
- New Site Identification
 - Many viable areas for development across the state



What Can You Do?

- Support efforts for new transmission
- Support National Renewable Legislation like the extension of the PTC and the National RPS
- Prepare for Development in Advance
 - Consider how you want wind to be developed in your community
 - Do current zoning and permitting requirements support that vision?